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GREAT COAL STRIKE MAY BE DECLARED ON MONDAY

President Lewis Does Not Show up to Adjust Matters.

FEEHAN MAKES STATEMENT

Company Says that Trouble is in Ranks of Organization.

Unless differences between its thousands of miners, and the Pittsburg Coal company can be patched up before Monday a hugh strike will be on.

The present trouble rests with the absence of the National President, Thomas L. Lewis, it is stated. He arbitrated matters for the time being when the strike was called on July 15, and promised to return to Pittsburg and hold conferences with the men and officials on the adjustment of grievances. This, the miners say, he has failed to do.

President Feehan of the district, said that President Lewis had not abided by his promise, and unless he put in appearance and settled matters the strike would be re-called on Monday.

President Hosack of the Coal company said that they were ready to adjust matters. He stated that he was unaware of any injustice to the miners, stating the strike is more within their own ranks than from any grievances with the company.

NEW PLAYGROUND IS ESTABLISHED

Swings Hung on Pfleghardt Lot—Children Much Pleased.

Swings have been erected on the Pfleghardt lot, on Fallowfield avenue, for another playground. The work was done yesterday and today the place has been alive with youngsters, who enjoy themselve to the utmost.

It is probable that other playgrounds will be equipped in the near future.

ENTERTAINS FOR FORMER RESIDENT

Miss Blanche Babbitt of New York City was honor guest at a prettily appointed party given by Miss Julia Cordes of Fallowfield avenue last night. The color scheme in both decorations and ices was carried out in pink and white. A basket of flowers formed the centerpiece, and pink roses were given as favors. Guests were present from Pittsburg, Washington, Monessen and Charleroi. Miss Edna Bayne assisted in serving.

Come to Correll and Crowley and pick out any article in the store and name the price you desire to pay for it, today and tomorrow. Last days of sale, then they close their furniture doors forever. 29212

Union Picnic.

Donora and Webster citizens have arranged for a union picnic at Rock Point August 18.

Building Boom Now in Progress at Donora

Many New Buildings in the Course of Erection at Down River Town.

So much building is in progress at Donora that Architect C. C. Compton has been obliged to put on an assistant. Among the new structures under way are the Fifth street school house, the Union Trust company building, the colored Baptist church and a number of private residences. J. C. Lang will next week break ground for a new business block at the corner of Fifth street and McKean avenue.

APPROVAL OF CONTRACTS BY COURT

Judge Taylor Sanctions the Building of Four Bridges.

BEFORE COMMISSIONERS

Judge J. F. Taylor yesterday approved the contracts for the erection of the Wilson, Maple Creek, Cherry Valley and Van Eman bridges. The contract for the Smith bridge was withdrawn, for the reason that it had been disapproved by a former board of commissioners. On the advice of County Solicitor Baum the county commissioners decided to go ahead with the erection of the Cherry Valley bridge. It appears that this bridge was before a former grand jury for approval, and it was turned down. Some time later the bridge was burned down. The former board of commissioners decided that it would be necessary to petition for a new bridge in the usual manner. Solicitor Baum advised the commissioners yesterday that it was not necessary to petition for a bridge that had been burned, there being an act of Assembly covering the case.

MONESSEN REAL ESTATE FIRM MAKES A RECORD

$31,000 Worth of Property Transferred Within a Short Time.

During the past ten days the real estate firm of Shuster and Reed at Monessen has made transfers which aggregate $31,000. This is a record breaker for the firm.

Moose at Donora.

A lodge of the loyal order of Moose is to be instituted at Donora. Organizer W. J. Michael has been canvassing the town for several weeks, and expects to organize with a membership of 125.

Ralph Wheeler of Uniontown is here today for a visit with friends.

NEW ACT OF ASSEMBLY—AUTOMOBILISTS MUST SUCCUMB TO THE DESIRES OF THE LOCAL AUTHORITIES REGARDING SPEED

All Previous Registrations and Licenses are Revoked After the 21st of December, This Year.

In the various towns and cities of the country, reckless driving of automobiles has become so common, that the lack of regulation is a subject of general discussion. The last Legislature passed a law regulating motor vehicles, their speed, registration and the licensing of operators. All previous registrations and licenses are revoked after the 21st of December of this year, when motor vehicles of all kinds come under the State Highway department at Harrisburg.

Section 14 of the new law pertains to the much discussed question locally. It follows in part:

Section 14. "No person shall operate a motor vehicle on the public highways of this State recklessly or at a rate of speed greater than is reasonable and proper, having regard to the width, traffic and use of the highway or so as to endanger property or the life or limb of any person, but no person shall drive a motor vehicle at a rate of speed exceeding one mile in two and one-half minutes. Provided, That the local authorities having charge of any of the highways may in dangerous, congested, or built up portions place signs marked, "Danger, Run Slow" and at these places the speed limit shall not exceed the rate of a mile in five minutes, the said signs to be plainly legible and the letters to be not less than five inches in height."

It is maintained the width, traffic and use of the local streets are such that property, life and limb of citizens are being endangered, and it is the duty of council to have the proper "danger, run slow" signals placed when the new law goes into effect and to regulate the speed until that time.

SUNDAY SERVICES AT VARIOUS CHURCHES

Ministers Announce Subjects for Tomorrow's Sermons.

Washington Ave. Presbyterian

Bible school at 9:45. Preaching at 11 a. m. and 8 p. m. Jr. C. E. at 4 p. m. Sr. C. E. at 7 p. m. A cordial invitation is extended to all. Rev. G. G. Kerr, pastor.

Christian.

Sunday school 9:45. Y. P. S. C. E. 6:45. Preaching services 11 a. m. and 7:45 p. m. The sermon themes will be morning, "Live Wires;" evening, "Tainted Blood." The afternoon sermon at Eldora Park at 3:30 p. m. will be "The Unpardonable Sin."

Baptist.

Sunday school at 9:45. Morning worship with sermon at 11 o'clock. Evening service at 7:45. Wednesday evening 7:45, adjourned business

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REV. BOBLITT TO PREACH AT PARK

"The Unpardonable Sin" Sunday Afternoon's Topic.

"The Unpardonable Sin" is the topic of the sermon which Rev. H. C. Boblitt will deliver at Eldora Park tomorrow afternoon at 3:30. This will be the fourth sermon delivered by Mr. Boblitt at the park, and they have attracted wide attention. Large audiences, composed of every nationality and creed in the community, have been eager listeners, and many have been in attendance who perhaps have not heard a sermon before in years.

The music is also a feature. Mr. Boblitt has arranged a large choir picked from the various church choirs, and with the assistance of an orchestra, it renders efficient service.

FIREMEN GOING TO BEAVER FALLS

State Convention will be Attended by Monessen Organization.

Monessen firemen are making preparations to attend the annual convention of the Western Pennsylvania Firemen's Association, which will be held at Beaver Falls August 9th to 14th inclusive.

DONORA BOROUGH FINDS ITSELF IN BIG HOLE

Council Takes Action Towards the Securing of a Loan to Tide Over Expenses at Present.

The borough of Donora is in the hole financially. At the last meeting a resolution was passed authorizing the borrowing of $5,085 to tide over until the taxes for the present year begin to come in.

MONESSEN BAPTISTS WILL FINISH THEIR CHURCH BUILDING

Basement of Structure was Erected Some Time Ago.

WORK BEGINS ON MONDAY

The trustees of the Monessen Baptist church have let the contract for finishing their church to the Westmoreland Lumber company, and work will be started the first of next week on the structure. It is expected to have the building ready for occupancy within four months.

The basement of the church was erected over a year ago, and services have been conducted in it ever since. The super-structure is to be of buff brick with stone trimmings and will be built on the Gothic style. The total costs will be about $12,000. Rev. J. C. Cherney is the pastor.

PRODUCTION OF OTHELLO BY COMPANY OF ITALIANS

Entertainment at Coyle Theatre on Monday Night by High Class Players.

"Othello," in Italian, will be presented at the Coyle Theatre Monday night by Antonio Mariori and company. Signor Mariori, who comes from New York, has secured the Highland Theatre in Pittsburg and will present Italian drama throughout the season, filling odd dates in the suburban circuit. His company is said to be a talented aggregation.

Will Vacate Street.

The Donora council has passed an ordinance vacating Ferry street to the river. This was in the interests of the steel company, which wants the ground for extensions. The company will give the borough a street to the river elsewhere.

PHYSICIANS MUST REPORT COMMUNICABLE DISEASES

Monessen to Have Street to the River

Much Desired Accommodation Will Finally be Secured.

The Monessen council is making preparations to construct the much discussed street to the river. It is etsimated that it will cost $8,000, half of which must be borne by the railroad company.

EXCEPTIONS TAKEN TO STATEMENTS

Socialist Correspondent Says State Protects Capitalism.

WORKING MAN'S CHANCE

To the Mail: An article entitled "Socialism" has appeared in your paper of July 20. The author claims that if he could be convinced that the present conditions under which the working masses live are as horrible as pictured by Socialist agitators, and further that the private competitive system of industry tends to constantly reduce the working class physically, financially, and intellectually, he would then agree that capitalism is wrong and should be replaced by Socialism. Now, the question is, is the author willing to be convinced? We Socialists know from practical experience that a prejudiced mind is not open for conviction, no matter what convincing arguments we may advance in defense of our philosophy. But trusting that this is not the case here, and that the author is sincere in what he writes, I will proceed with my argument.

It is true that the average wage is higher today than it has been in the beginning of the nineteenth century, but has not the price of living necessities increased accordingly and even exceded it in many instances? Has not the productivity of labor increased greatly since? Are the opportunities for a living for the individual workman as well as for the entire class as good today as they were in the beginning of the last century?

Land was then free and "going west," offered an everlasting escape if conditions were not satisfatory in the coast cities of the east. Everyone desiring could then own his land and tools of production, as these were very simple and cheap. Does this also hold true today? Why, no, not by a long distance. Free land is gone and the tools of production have grown to a gigantic collective nature that it is impossible for an individual workman to either own or operate them and so have been monopolized. The tools of production are the means of life, and it will be evident to the author that if the one class owns the tools of production of the other class which it must use in order to live, it also owns its life.

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Health Commissioner Dixon Sends Out Notices.

TO PUNISH VIOLATERS

Duties of Doctors Outlined Concerning Reporting of Cases.

Charleroi physicians have received within the past few days from the Department of Health, through Commissioner Samuel G. Dixon, a copy of the new law requiring physicians to report to the board of health all communicable diseases. Accompanying it is a penal clause telling what punishment a violator of the law is liable to have visited upon him; also a list of what the State Department considers communicable diseases.

The act, which is that approved May 14, 1909, explains fully the kind of diseses to be reported, the duties of the health officers, the quarantine precautions, and the placarding of houses. The receipt of these letters is the result of carelessness on the part of many physicians in reporting contagious diseases.

REPRODUCTION OF THE NOTED PASSION PLAY IN CHARLEROI

Will be in Motion Pictures, but Scenes will Appear Real.

A reproduction of the celebrated "Passion Play," is to appear here next week, at the Star theatre. There is scarcely a person that does not know the story of the Passion Play, but a repetition would not be out of order. It is the story of the Life of Christ from the time of birth to the resurrection. True, it will be produced only in moving pictures, but these are so real, and are the nearest most people will get to see the real drama that the opportunity should not be let pass by. This production, as anonucned on another page of the Mail, will be for three days next week, Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday.

The Passion Play is given every ten years at Oberammergau, Bavaria, and a single production costs hundreds of thousands of dollars. It is given in a natural amphitheatre, and people fom all parts of the world go to witness it. The persons who take the leading roles, such as the Savior, must be the most exemplary characters, and their past life must have been as nearly possible like the one whom they are to portray. The origin of the play, which was one of the first dramas ever produced in the Christian era, dates back into the Dark Ages, when a plague infested the country and the people of the section of Oberammergau promised to depict the Life of Christ as nearly as possible, every ten years, not as a pennance, but as an expression of gratitude.

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July 24 In American History.

1783—Simon Bolivar, South American liberator, born in Caracas, Venezuela; died 1830.

1798—John Adams Dix, general and statesman, born in Boscawen, N. H.; died 1879.

1819—Dr. Joseph Gilbert Holland, author, born; died 1881.

1862—Martin Van Buren, ex-president died at Kinderhook, N. Y.; born 1782

1895—Rev. Edward Beecher, one of the seven famous sons of Lyman Beecher, died; born 1803.

ASTRONOMICAL EVENTS.

Sun sets 7:19, rises 4:46; moon sets 11:17 p. m.; 6 37 a. m., eastern time, moon at first quarter in constellation Libra.

July 25 In American History.

1750—Henry Knox, secretary of war under Washington, born in Boston; died 1806.

1868—General Sam Houston, Texas patriot, at one time governor of Tennessee and later of Texas, died at Huntsville, Tex.; born 1793.

1898—General Miles' force landed at Porto Rico and began the conquest of Spanish garrison The same day General Wesley Merritt, commander of the army in Philippines, reached Manila with re-enforcements.

ASTRONOMICAL EVENTS.

Sun sets 7.18, rises 4:47; moon sets 11:42 p. m.; 1 a. m., planet Mercury at perihelion, nearest the sun; 8 30 p. m., Jupiter's outer satellite No. 3 on the east, Nos. 1, 2 and 4 near on the west of the planet.

Waste in Smoke.

In the manufacture of coke losses due by the escape of combustible gases are particularly heavy, says the Saturdy Evening Post. Coke happens to be an indispensable fuel in the smelting of iron ore. To make it, soft coal is distilled with an amount of waste that reaches an appalling one-third of the heat value of the coal, not to mention other losses due to breakage in handling. The annual production of coke is about 36,000,000 tons, most of which is used to produce 25,000,000 tons of pig iron. Nine-tenths of this enormous amount of coke is made in what are known as "beehive" ovens, which allow the gaseous equivalent of 16,200,000 tons of soft coal to float into the air. With good coking coal at two dollars a ton this means that we are converting $32,400,000 into smoke and gas. A man who lights cigars with ten-dollar bills is no more reckless.

Some day provision will be generally made for the collection of these valuable fumes and of their industrial utilization. What are known as "by-product" coke ovens are slowly coming into use—ovens so designed that the gas can be collected and piped to points where fuel is needed and there consumed. Unfortunately the number of such installations is lamentably few. All told there are about thirty of them, aggregating some 3,000 ovens. Small as the number is, these by-product plants manufacture about 50,000,000 cubic feet of gas, which is burned in doing useful work and not in senselessly heating the atmosphere.

The wanton waste of the coke ovens finds its counterpart in nearly every factory boiler room. Whenever a fireman opens a furnace door to throw more coal on his fire he is taking money from his employe's purse. Cold air and more air than is necessay for the oxidizing process of the fuel enters the furnace; the gases are chilled, while an excess of air from without is heated—air that is not wanted. Because of the chilling the gases are cooled down below their burning temperature and are dissociated. Hence their free carbon, in the form of soot, escapes through the chimney. Heavy losses are entailed in every furnace which is stoked and cleaned in the ordinary manner—losses due to this relapse of gasses into carbon, to the lowering of temperture due to imperfect combustion, and to the expulsion of these unconsumed gases.

Can this waste be prevented? The United States Geological Survey has been conducting a series of experiments for the purpose of answering the question. The Survey's work proves that smoke prevention is possible even in Pittsburg; for in that notoriously sooty town a Survey plant is operated absolutely without smoke, and that, moreover, with a quality of coal ordinarily considered as refuse and costing, delivered at the plant, eighty-eight cents a ton. It may be argued that this is merely an experimental and not a commercial plant. The investigation of the Goverment leads to a different belief. Geological Survey engineers have visited factories in the large cities of Illinois, Indiana, Kentucky, Maryland, Michigan, Missouri, New York, Ohio, and have found more than two hundred plants that burn coal without smoke and, therefore, with an economy remarkable in these extavagant days. On the authority of the Survey it may be stated that in fifty per cent of the industrial establishments more than ten per cent of the coal bill can be saved each year by the smokeless burning of coal, a saving of several million dollars annually.

Electric Sparks

Perhaps after all it would be better to have a man employed to get up a new tariff bill each year, to best fit existing conditions all over the country, and then if he doesn't please the majority of the people, have him thrown into the lake.

Church baseball leagues seem to be thriving all over the country. Doubtless they prove so from the fact that the expense is so much reduced.

My goodness, if green mosquito bar kills people, what in the world will we do about the flies?

A good many girls think they came into this world for the express purpose of marrying some count or other foreigner, with a title. The most of them get more sense after one good trial.

Reckon if we had a high School commercial course this year, the students will have to go back to the same old hill climbing again.

The Charleroi merchants are planning for a great time at Eldora Park next Wednesday. Which fact means that we will all be there with our old suits of varied hues.

These cold days make a fellow feel as if his old friend, Old Sol, had deserted him.

Donora has passed the semi-barbaric stage, and has put an ordinance into effect that from this time on, the running at large of horses, cattle, sheep, swine, geese and other animals will not be permitted in the borough.

A Fashion Garrick Killed.

Women of England in the eighteenth century wore large hats. Samuel Rogers once traveled to Ranelagh in the same coach with a woman who was compelled to sit on a stool on the floor of the coach on account of the inconvenient height of her headdress. Hannah More, who was all for simplicity in costume, writes in her diary that she has seen women wearing on their heads "an acre and a half of shrubbery, besides slopes, grass plats, tulip beds, clumps of peonies, kitchen gardens and greenhouses." The credit of killing this fashion is given to Garrick. He appeared one night on the stage with a mass of vegetables on his head and a carrot suspended from each side, to the shame and confusion of many fair members of his audience."

AN ORDINANCE

Granting unto the Pittsburg and Charleroi Street Railway Company, its successors, lessees and assigns, certain rights upon certain streets and avenues in the Borough of North Charleroi, Washington County, Pennsylvania.

Be it ordained and enacted by the Town Council of the Borough of North Charleroi, County of Washington and State of Pennsylvania, at a regular meeting assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same:

Section 1. That the consent of the said Council be and the same is hereby given unto the Pittsburg and Charleroi Street Railway Company, its successors, lessees and assigns, to relocate or remove so much of its track or tracks as it may deem necessary from their present vocation, and to enter upon the streets and avenues of the said Borough, along the following route:

Beginning at the northerly borough line, where the same is crossed by the tracks of the Pittsburg and Charleroi Street Railway Company thence in a southerly direction along the present location of said tracks, and upon, along and across the streets or highways crossed or traversed by said tracks to the point where they enter Lincoln Avenue, at or near Fifth Street thence upon and along Lincoln Avenue to the southerly borough line, for the purpose of constructng, maintaining and operating thereon, during the term of its charter, a double track street railway, together with the necessary turnouts and switches, also to erect and maintain all such poles, wires, cables, and other apparatus as shall be necessary for the successful operation of said street raliway, and to string and maintain on such poles and apparatus every and all such wires and cables as may be necessary for the successful and sufficient operation of a fully equipped street railway system.

In the construction of the double tracks upon Lincoln Avenue the same shall be located on the street in accordance with the plan herewith, and the center line between tracks shall be eleven (11) feet eight and one-half (8 1-2) inches from the westerly side of the said Lincoln Avenue, and the distance between the center line of the tracks shall not be less than ten (10) feet two and one-half (2 1-2) inches, and the poles on the easterly side of the street shall be located inside of the curb line; that is, on the sidewalk side of the curb, and the poles on the westery side of the street shall be located at least five (5) feet in the clear from the westerly rail of the tracks, and if this location for the poles places them upon private property the Borough of North Charleroi shall arrange with the property owners for said location without cost or expense to the Street Railway Company. If the tracks are re-located as aforesaid, the Borough shall also provide and have moved all poles of other companies on the westerly side of the street, so that the same will be located at least five (5) feet in the clear from the westerly rail of the tracks. If the Borough be unable to secure the location of all poles as aforesaid and without cost or expense to the Street Railway Company, and it becomes necessary to locate the poles alongside of and adjacent to the westerly line of or upon the street then the tracks shall be so located as to leave at leasts five (5) feet clearance between the westerly rail of the tracks and the poles. Where practicable so to do, the poles shall be placed opposite the dividing line between properties.

In the construction of the tracks aforesaid the rails shall be girder type of rails, at least seven (7) inches high, weighing at least seventy (70) pounds per yard, the tracks on Lincoln Avenue shall be laid to the grade of the street as established by ordinance of this Borough, Approved July 7th, 1909, and the work shall be done at such time as the Borough shall grade, curb and pave the said Lincoln Avenue, from a point at or near the northerly line of Fifth Street to the southerly borough line in its proper order and sequence and the Company shall pay the Borough a sum of money equal to the cost of all grading and paving done or caused to be done by the Borough between the rails of the tracks and between the tracks and for a width of one (1) feet outside thereof; except the paving in the present tracks which the Company shall relay after the removal of the tracks as hereinbefore provided for, subject to the approval of the Borough Engineer. The price to be paid by the Company is to be based upon the same price per cubic yard for the grading and per square yard for the paving that the Borough shall pay for grading and paving upon the balance of the street, said price, however, to be satisfactory to the Company and not greater than the Company could secure the work done for. And the Company agrees further to maintain the paving between its rails and between its tracks and a foot on the oustide of its tracks in good repair while the Company occupies the above named streets. All grading and paving operations, however, to be conducted by the Borough in such a manner as not to interfere with the operation of cars upon the present tracks of the Company now upon this street. The Borough hereby agreeing to contract for and cause all excavations between the rails of the tracks and between the tracks and for a width of one foot on the outside thereof, of the Railway Company, to be carried to a sub grade having a depth of twenty-one (21) inches below the surface of the pavement where nine (9) inch rail is to be used or nineteen (19) inches below the surface of the pavement where seven (7) inch rail is to be used, and the Borough shall cause the same to be made to the depth above specified along each side of the Company's existing track and of a width necessary for a double track, excepting the space occupied by the present track or tracks, after which the Company shall move and re-construct its present track or tracks in the proper location and the Contractor shall then complete the excavating of any material remaining from the present track; and where the grade of the street is to be raised the Borough hereby agrees, without any charge therefor, to cause so much of the excavated material as is necessary to be hauled and deposited and spread along each side of the present track or tracks within the limits and to the height necessary to form the sub grade above specified for all its roadbed and the Company shall use the aforesaid material in raising its present track and shall move the said track to and construct upon the grade thus form its additional track, all in the proper sequence and with as little delay to the grading operation as practicable, and the Borough hereby further agrees to pave or cause to be paved the portion of the street above specified between the rails of the tracks and between the tracks and for a width of one foot on the outside thereof, of the Railway Company as soon as the tracks shall have been made ready for such paving by the Company, and to the same depth below the surface of the street, using the same depth of ballas, sand and brick as is used by the Borough upon the balance of the street, and in measuring the paving to estimate the cost to the Company the widths of the rails laid in the street shall be excluded. The Borough shall give at least three days notice in writing to the Chief Enigneer of the Company of the date upon which paving will be commenced, so that arrangements can be made for cementing the rails. The work of grading and paving shall be done subject to the approval of the Chief Engineer of the Company or his representative. Payment to be made therefor on the 10th day of each month for the work of the previous month completed and approved as aforesaid.

The right is also given the Company to connect the rails at their ends with bond wires and with a supplementary ground wire for the return circuits.

In consideration of the aforesaid payment to the Borough of North Charleroi by the Company, consent is hereby granted to said Company, its successors, lessees and assigns, to operate the cars of other companies over all or portions of its tracks in this Borough, and to permit the operation by the Westside Electric Street Railway Company, and the Webster, Monessen, Belle Vernon and Fayette City Street Railway Company, or either of them, their successors, lessees and assigns, of their cars over all or portions of its tracks in this Borough, upon making suitable arrangements with the said Pittsburg and Charleroi Street Railway Company, its successors, lessees and assigns, for such operation, and consent is also granted to said Company, its successors, lessees and assigns, to make all necessary connections with the tracks and overhead lines of other companies so that it can operate the cars of other companies over its tracks, turnouts and switch in this Borough, or permit the companies hereinbefore sperified to operate their cars over the tracks, turnouts and switches of said Pittsburg and Charleroi Street Railway Company, its successors, lessees and assigns, in this Borough.

Upon completion of the grading of the street by the Borough to the depths above specified, and in proper sequence during the progress of such grading work, and upon notice from the Borough, Company shall immediately commence the work of moving its present track and tracks to the location and grade herein provided for, and construct the additional track necessary to complete double tracks throughout the route within the Borough limits, and shall complete the said work of moving the tracks and laying the additional track within four (4) months after said notice, except that it shall not be required to do any of said work during the months of December, January, February and March.

The said Pittsburg and Charleroi Street Railway Company shall accept the provisions thereof, in writing, within 15 days from the final passage and approval of the same, which accept-

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Any ordinance or part of ordinance conflicting with the provisions of this ordinance be and the same is hereby repealed.

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Ordained and enacted into a law in Council this —— day of ———— A. D. 1909.

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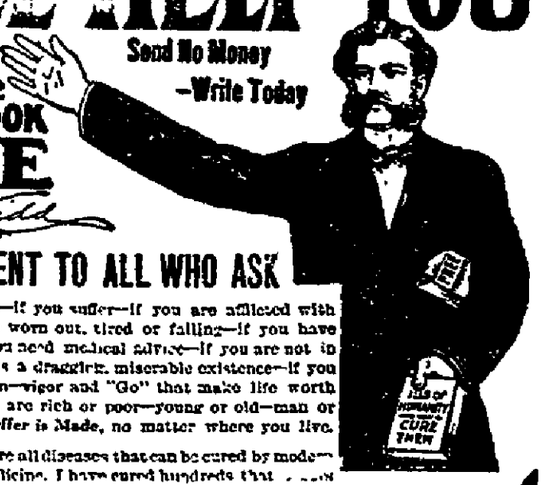

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Exceptions Taken to Statements

(Continued from First Page).

The capitalist class of today has it in its power to say to the working class, "Thou shall live no more," by simply closing down its factories, mills and mines, and owning the country they also own the Government with it. To prove my assertions I would invite the author for a trip to McKees Rocks to investigate conditions there. The State, the militia, the costabulary, the regular army if necessary, the judiciary, all stand ready to protect the divine rights of capitalism. Is there any protection for the workmen who are denied the natural right to live? Now, if the author is convinced that the opportunities for a living for the working class has grown less in the past, owing to the private ownership of the natural resources and all industries, it is self evident that it must continue to grow worse in the future as capitalism is traveling faster than ever.

Japan is today witnessing the dawn of capitalism. A Japanese workman there can live comfortably and be happy on 50 cents a day. Can an American working man live happily on 50 cents a day? Will the Japanese workman be able to live comfortably and be happy on 50 cents a day a hundred years hence? The answer is certainly not, and is plain to every student of economic evolution. The author in stating that it is admitted even by radical Socialism that private property is not a crime, confuses the terms wealth and capacity, and uses the word property for both. We Socialists are not against but stand for private property that is used in private, such as a home and everything that goes with it. This properly defined is wealth. Socialism would make it possible for every working man to own such private property as I have just now described, while capitalism is making it impossible, not only for the workingmen but for the great masses at large to own any wealth or property.

Capital means productive property, such as land and machinery, and it is the private ownership of these that we are fighting. The author further states that the conditions of the laborers under this system are not so desperate as to make them put in jeopardy their liberty and independence by inviting Socialism. Regarding this statement I beg to say that the liberty and independence of a jobless, starving man who has been tramping up and down the country in search of work and all in vain, can be bought and sold for a square meal at the Casino restaurant, and surely they could risk their liberty and independence for a Socialist form of government. Let it be known that there can be no independence without a job and no liberty without food.

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Charleroi, 619 Fallowfield Ave.

SUNDAY SERVICES AT THE CHURCHES

(Continued from First Page).

meeting of the church. A large attendance is expected as some improvements to the church building are to be discussed. Welcome to all services. Rev. J. H. Palmer, pastor.

Christ Lutheran.

Sunday school at 9:45 a. m. Divine worship at 11 o'clock with sermon by the pastor. Luther League at 6:30 p. m., subject, "Regular Church Attendance." Vesper Services at 7:30 p. m. A most cordial welcome to all the services. There will be no preaching services during the first four Sundays in August because of the pastor's vacation. Rev. C. E. Frontz, pastor.

St. Mary's Episcopal.

Early celebration of the holy Communion at 8 a. m. Sunday school and Bible class at 9:45 a. m., morning prayer, anti-communion and sermon at 11 o'clock. Subject, "The Appeal of Religion to Human Nature." There will be no evening service. Seats free and a welcome to all.

Methodist.

Sunday school at 9:30. 10:45 "Old Folks Day," sermon to elderly people. 2:30 Men's League; 6:45 Epworth League; 7:45 sermon.

French Presbyterian.

Sunday, July, 5.2 Sabbath school at 9:30 p. m. Morning worship at 10:30 and Communion. Evening service at 7 p. m., "Walking Worthily of God." Everybody welcome.

Mr. and Mrs. Gorge W. Horner of Morgantown, W. Va., visited their daughter, Mrs. J. S. Ryland of Meadow avenue this week.

LOCAL NOTES

Brief Mention of People and Events in this Community.

Born—To Mr. and Mrs. Chas. O. Frye, Crest avenue, a daughter.

Prof. Fred Metzger of Maryland college, Lutherville, Md., called on friends interested in Maryland college yesterday.

Mrs. J. K. Porter of Coon Island is visiting her daughter, Mrs. C. O. Frye, of Crest avenue.

Miss Bess McCormick of Pittsburg is a guest at the home of Rev. A. M. Doak.

Misses Prudence and Mary Leech of Butler are visiting at the homes of William and Joseph Kenyon.

Philip Snow of North Charleroi is spending a few weeks in Michigan on a fishing expedition.

Attorney D. M. McCloskey is at Bedford Springs. Before returning home he will vist Deer Lake Park in Maryland. He made the journey in his automobile.

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Mr. and Mrs. George S. Might of McKean avenue have returned from a visit with their daughter, Mrs. Fred C. Miller at Conneant.

William C. Walters of the Mail job rooms has returned from a visit at Morgantown, W. Va., with relatives.

Born—To Mr. and Mrs. Pierce Ferguson, of Fifth street, a girl.

Mrs. S. R. Collins is spending the day in Pittsburg with friends.

Mrs. Eugene Meddekar has returned home from a visit at Beaver Falls with friends.

Rev. John Smith of Pittston is visiting relatives in Charleroi.

Mrs. H. C. Boblitt and daughter Pauline returned to Charleroi this morning from Uniontown, where Mrs. Boblitt has been attending the "School of Methods."

John Shannon received word Friday that his son, H. V. Shannon, who received his degree of A. M. from Hiram college this spring and is there doing special work, is suffering from an attack of appendicitis.

The Sunday school classes of Mrs. Kenyon and Miss Martin, of the M. E. Sunday school, picnicked at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Curtis in Fallowfield township yesterday.

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Quarrels between opera singers and managers call to mind an incident in the life of Malibran. It was in 1829, when Malibran returned to England from New York and made her debut at Birmingham at the music festival as Malibran Garcia. Miss Paton had already become a favorite there and was allowed to choose her own songs and sing as many as she pleased, whereas Malibran was compelled to sing only what was assigned to her. Garcia bore the indignity with such patience as she could command until one morning she saw the announcement that Miss Paton would sing six songs that evening and that she would sing but two. Then it was that, realizing that much of her success for the season in England depended on her having a better place in the program, she stormed the directors.

In vain the directors endeavored to avoid receiving her, but she made short work of ceremony, and while they were framing an excuse to pacify her she broke in upon them in a magnificent rage. In a jiffy she asked the chairman:

"Sir, have you sanctioned this program?" And, receiving a nod in the affirmative, she sailed along further.

"I had hoped," she said, "it had been issued without your sanction, for it assigns me two songs, both of which are hackneyed, while it gives my rival, Miss Paton, six. She has an established reputation here. Mine is yet to make, at least with your English audiences, and therefore if any preference should be given to any one it should be to me. On my success here depends all chance of my success in London. You forget this or do not care. You give me no chance of success, whereas all I want is justice. I want the same opportunity for displaying my ability as you allow Miss Paton. Here you advertise me for Romeo. But I performed that last night, and the public will say, 'Romeo on Monday, Romeo on Tuesday, Romeo on Wednesday—Romeo, Romeo, she can do nothing but Romeo.' I want fair play—no more, no less!"

Well, it was a great fuss. The directors endeavored to soothe her, for she had talked herself into a great passion, but they made their mistake in pointing to the fact that the program was printed and could not be changed. In vain Malibran argued that she should sing six or an equal number of songs with Miss Paton, and finally she went off in a great huff, declaring if they would not right her she would right herself.

The evening advertised came, and the theater was crowded with the rank, beauty and fashion of Birmingham, as every one familiar with English music festivals would expect. The performance commenced. Some one sang, then Braham followed, and finally came Miss Paton. As usual, she was heartily received. Then Malibran came forward amid many plaudits, undoubtedly agitated at the applause, and stood for a minute with her arms folded and her eyes on the ground.

There was a piano near the footlights, and the music stool stood at the back of the stage. Malibran stood near the piano, but did not touch a key, while in a manner until then unknown in England she warbled the well known aria "Una voce poco fa." Peal followed peal of applause, and when the conductor came to lead Malibran away the cries of encore were so loud as to make him retreat, and again Malibran was in the hands of the audience.

For some time the applause continued and finally died away. When all was silence Malibran started up suddenly, made a pretty obeisance, hastily ran to the back part of the stage and brought out a piano stool. Then, motioning to the orchestra not to play, she played a preludio and then an accompaniment to the song she had just given. But that was not all. When she came within a note or two of the conclusion she paused, cast a look at the wings, where the mystified director stood, laughingly shook her head and to the delight of the audience and the amazement of the directors commenced a new song. She had been singing Italian; now she sang Spanish, and when this had been applauded she started to retire. The audience, however, would not part with her, and when the conductor came to lead her off pit, gallery and boxes actually hissed the poor fellow.

There never was a more enthusiastic ovation to a singer in Birmingham, and, thus encouraged, Malibran gracefully waved the conductor off and again sat down to play. She passed from Spanish to German, German to French and finally from French to English, and the result was that she occupied so much time that the nervously waiting Miss Paton sang only two songs instead of six!

There was a lively scene behind the curtain when Malibran at length retired. But to the acting director, who fumed and cried, "Madam, you have played us an astonishing trick!" she only smiled and said, "I told you that I would right myself if you wronged me—and I did."—New York Post.

A diamond with a flaw is better than a common stone without any imperfections.—Chinese Proverb.

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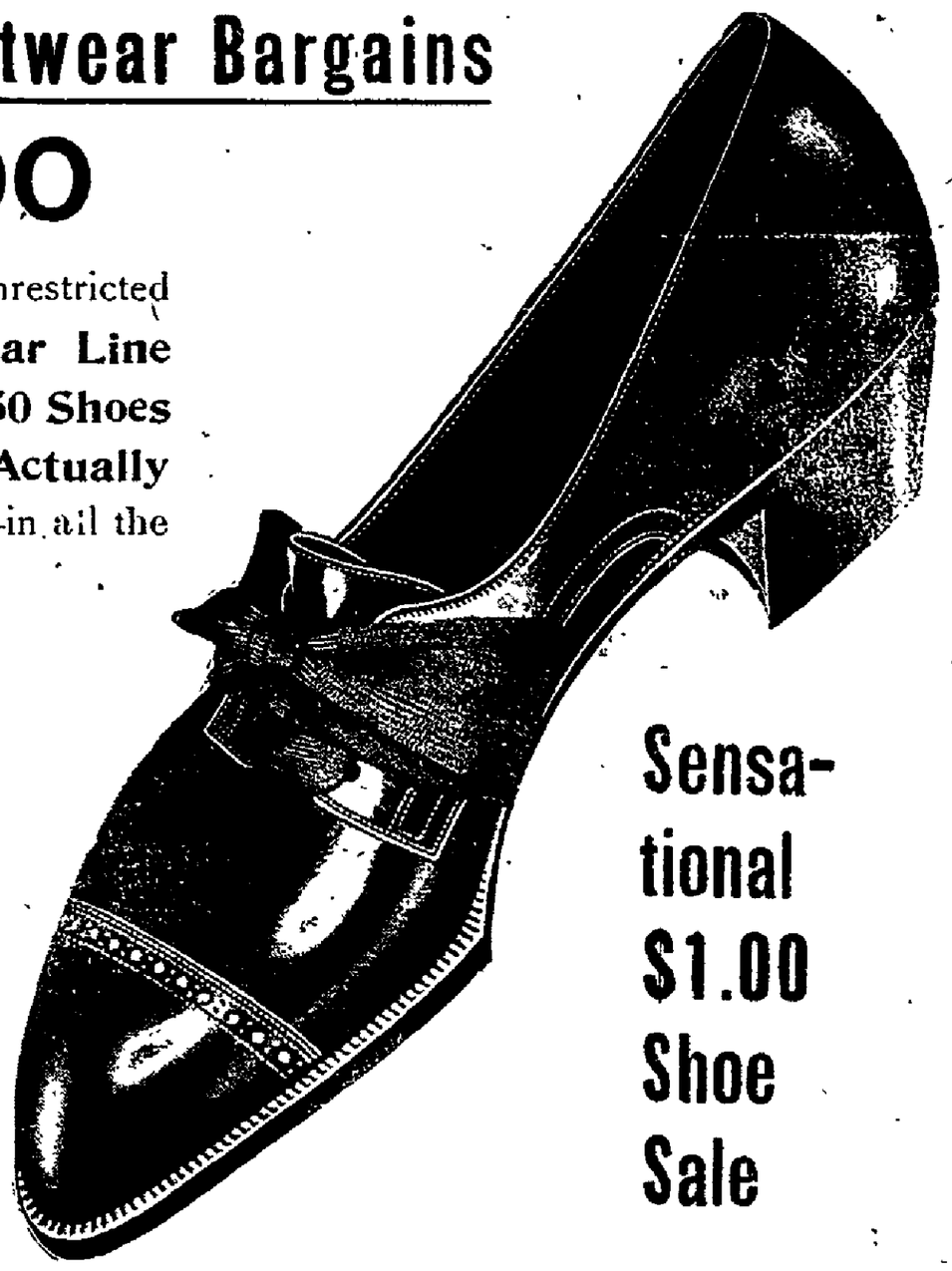

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TROPICAL INSECTS.

The Tarantula Is the One Most to Be Dreaded.

Excepting only the tarantula, the crawling insects of the tropics are not really dangerous, though they are more than unpleasant, sufficiently so to make every one wary, and an instinctive watchfulness becomes after a time habitual. It is only a matter of being careful and dangerous stings can be avoided. The sting of a scorpion is sharp and painful. Rapid swelling follows till a great lump is formed at and about the wound, the glands often become swollen and painful, and the tongue swells so that speech may become difficult. The pain lasts from two to twenty-four hours, usually about a day, and it is exceptional if any serious effects follow.

The centiped attacks by burying its sharp feet in the flesh and then biting with its jaws, inflicting deep wounds. Often it goes on crawling rapidly over the flesh, puncturing it with burning, needlelike feet, biting continually, its jaws buried deep in the flesh with rigorous rapidity. This is a serious affliction. The sores, like burning blisters, are open for days, and where a centiped has walked and bitten the flesh a livid sore develops, leaving a deep scar witness to the pain inflicted. Sometimes even gangrene may set in, and then death is apt to follow in a few days. Thus a wound from a centiped unattended easily becomes serious. The centiped's back is so smooth and its muscles so supple that to check it under one's clothing requires fortitude which could press a redhot iron against the naked flesh. Relax the hand for an instant and the centiped slips away to continue its course over the body. The result is not easily described. The screams of a person so attacked attest the pain, and we dread the centipeds. I have seen them in the jungles over a foot long and about three inches broad. Usually they are less than half this size, and fortunately their attacks are rare. There are smaller centipeds, and bad enough it is to be bitten by them, but it is the big fellows in the woods which we dread.

Of all the insects which crawl about in the tropics the tarantula is most to be dreaded. It sinks its fanglike jaws deep in the flesh, and a poison which oozes out around them is carried into the wound. The soft body of the spider permits it to be easily killed, and if there is a way open for escape the tarantula will take it, perhaps not biting at all. One bite it gives, seldom more, and this is sufficient. Days of suffering must be endured, and death may occur. Violent swelling follows the bite of a tarantula and afflicts all that part of the body which has been bitten. At times the flesh becomes discolored, and with the intense pain a form of paralysis develops which may result in death. If, however, the person bitten is enjoying fair health no evil effects result, but where the blood is in poor condition, the heart weak or other organic troubles are present then stings or bites from creeping insects, not only tarantulas, but all of them, are apt to be fatal.

Naturally one crawls out from under the tolda with feelings of trepidation and usually finds that some creeping thing has made the outer folds of the tolda a resting place for the night.—Forest and Stream.

Eskimo Graves of Stones.

To the Eskimo mind everything animate or inanimate possesses a soul. Thus in their graves we found they invariably placed every cherished possession, that their spirits might serve the departed spirit in the same capacities in the life to come. There is little room for burial beneath the scanty earth in Labrador, even if the frost would permit. So the grave consists of upright stones, with long flat ones laid across. These not only serve to keep the wolves from the body, but wide chinks also afford the spirits free passage in and out.—Wilfred T. Grenfell in Century.

Uncle Sam's Human Hinges.

In other cities the doors of public buildings are set on springs and slap to and fro as the visitor wills, but in Washington it appears, necessary to have a special man to open and close the doors—human hinges, as it were—no undignified banging of doors there. This custom has died out in other places, but there are many veteran negroes in Washington who have seen years of such service for the government. They have a stately way of performing this office, which gives a door an official and unofficial swing.—Joe Mitchell Chapple in National Magazine.

Missed the Name.

Guest of the Doctor's (late home from the theater)—Hurry up, old chap, and let me in. Absentminded Doctor (who has forgotten all about his visitor)—Who are you? Guest—Mr. Trane. Doctor—Missed a train, have you? Well, catch the next.—London Fun.

Well Enough.

"Didn't I tell you to let well enough alone?" said the doctor to the convalescent who had disobeyed and was suffering a relapse.

"Yes, doctor," whined the patient, "but I wasn't well enough."—Detroit Free Press.

Passionate Fondness.

"Do you think that most people nowadays worship money?"

"No; I won't go as far as that," answered the home grown philosopher, "but I will say that the love of money is seldom platonic."—New York Journal.

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GREAT COAL STRIKE MAY BE DECLARED ON MONDAY

President Lewis Does Not Show up to Adjust Matters.

FEEHAN MAKES STATEMENT

Company Says that Trouble is in Ranks of Organization.

Unless differences between its thousands of miners, and the Pittsburg Coal company can be patched up before Monday a hugh strike will be on.

The present trouble rests with the absence of the National President, Thomas L. Lewis, it is stated. He arbitrated matters for the time being when the strike was called on July 15, and promised to return to Pittsburg and hold conferences with the men and officials on the adjustment of grievances. This, the miners say, he has failed to do.

President Feehan of the district, said that President Lewis had not abided by his promise, and unless he put in appearance and settled matters the strike would be re-called on Monday.

President Hosack of the Coal company said that they were ready to adjust matters. He stated that he was unaware of any injustice to the miners, stating the strike is more within their own ranks than from any grievances with the company.

NEW PLAYGROUND IS ESTABLISHED

Swings Hung on Pfleghardt Lot—Children Much Pleased.

Swings have been erected on the Pfleghardt lot, on Fallowfield avenue, for another playground. The work was done yesterday and today the place has been alive with youngsters, who enjoy themselve to the utmost.

It is probable that other playgrounds will be equipped in the near future.

ENTERTAINS FOR FORMER RESIDENT

Miss Blanche Babbitt of New York City was honor guest at a prettily appointed party given by Miss Julia Cordes of Fallowfield avenue last night. The color scheme in both decorations and ices was carried out in pink and white. A basket of flowers formed the centerpiece, and pink roses were given as favors. Guests were present from Pittsburg, Washington, Monessen and Charleroi. Miss Edna Bayne assisted in serving.

Come to Correll and Crowley and pick out any article in the store and name the price you desire to pay for it, today and tomorrow. Last days of sale, then they close their furniture doors forever. 29212

Union Picnic.

Donora and Webster citizens have arranged for a union picnic at Rock Point August 18.

Building Boom Now in Progress at Donora

Many New Buildings in the Course of Erection at Down River Town.

So much building is in progress at [illegible] has been obliged to put on an assistant. Among the new structures under way are the Fifth street school house, the Union Trust company building, the colored Baptist church and a number of private residences. J. C. Lang will next week break ground for a new business block at the corner of Fifth street and McKean avenue.

APPROVAL OF CONTRACTS BY COURT

Judge Taylor Sanctions the Building of Four Bridges.

BEFORE COMMISSIONERS

Judge J. F. Taylor yesterday approved the contracts for the erection of the Wilson, Maple Creek, Cherry Valley and Van Eman bridges. The contract for the Smith bridge was withdrawn, for the reason that it had been disapproved by a former board of commissioners. On the advice of County Solicitor Baum the county commissioners decided to go ahead with the erection of the Cherry Valley bridge. It appears that this bridge was before a former grand jury for approval, and it was turned down. Some time later the bridge was burned down. The former board of commissioners decided that it would be necessary to petition for a new bridge in the usual manner. Solicitor Baum advised the commissioners yesterday that it was not necessary to petition for a bridge that had been burned, there being an act of Assembly covering the case.

MONESSEN REAL ESTATE FIRM MAKES A RECORD

$31,000 Worth of Property Transferred Within a Short Time.

During the past ten days the real estate firm of Shuster and Reed at Monessen has made transfers which aggregate $31,000. This is a record breaker for the firm.

Moose at Donora.

A lodge of the loyal order of Moose is to be instituted at Donora. Organizer W. J. Michael has been canvassing the town for several weeks, and expects to organize with a membership of 125.

Ralph Wheeler of Uniontown is here today for a visit with friends.

NEW ACT OF ASSEMBLY—AUTOMOBILISTS MUST SUCCUMB TO THE DESIRES OF THE LOCAL AUTHORITIES REGARDING SPEED

All Previous Registrations and Licenses are Revoked After the 21st of December, This Year.

In the various towns and cities of the country, reckless driving of automobiles has become so common, that the lack of regulation is a subject of general discussion. The legislature has passed a law regulating motor vehicles, their speed, registration and the licensing of operators. All previous registrations and licenses are revoked after the 21st of December of this year, when motor vehicles of all kinds come under the State Highway department at Harrisburg.

Section 14 of the new law pertains to the much discussed question locally. It follows in part:

Section 14. "No person shall operate a motor vehicle on the public highways of this State recklessly or at a rate of speed greater than is reasonable and proper, having regard to the width, traffic and use of the highway or so as to endanger property or the life or limb of any person, but no person shall drive a motor vehicle at a rate of speed exceeding one mile in two and one-half minutes. Provided, [illegible] charge of any of the highways may in dangerous, congested, or built up portions place signs marked, "Danger. Run Slow" and at these places the speed limit shall not exceed the rate of a mile in five minutes, the said signs to be plainly legible and the letters to be not less than five inches in height."

It is maintained the width, traffic and use of the local streets are such that property, life and limb of citizens are being endangered, and it is the duty of council to have the proper "danger, run slow" signals placed when the new law goes into effect and to regulate the speed until that time.

SUNDAY SERVICES AT VARIOUS CHURCHES

Ministers Announce Subjects for Tomorrow's Sermons.

Washington Ave. Presbyterian

Bible school at 9:45. Preaching at 11 a. m. and 8 p. m. Jr. C. E. at 4 p. m. Sr. C. E. at 7 p. m. A cordial invitation is extended to all. Rev. G. G. Kerr, pastor.

Christian.

Sunday school 9:45. Y. P. S. C. E. 6:45. Preaching services 11 a. m. and 7:45 p. m. The sermon themes will be morning, "Live Wires;" evening, "Tainted Blood." The afternoon sermon at Eldora Park at 3:30 p. m. will be "The Unpardonable Sin."

Baptist.

Sunday school at 9:45. Morning worship with sermon at 11 o'clock. Evening service at 7:45. Wednesday evening 7:45, adjourned business

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REV. BOBLITT TO PREACH AT PARK

"The Unpardonable Sin" Sunday Afternoon's Topic.

"The Unpardonable Sin" is the topic of the sermon which Rev. H. C. Boblitt will deliver at Eldora Park tomorrow afternoon at 3:30. This will be the fourth sermon delivered by Mr. Boblitt at the park, and they have attracted wide attention. Large audiences, composed of every nationality and creed in the community, have been eager listeners, and many have been in attendance who perhaps have not heard a sermon before in years.

The music is also a feature. Mr. Boblitt has arranged a large choir picked from the various church choirs, and with the assistance of an orchestra, it renders efficient service.

FIREMEN GOING TO BEAVER FALLS

State Convention will be Attended by Monessen Organization.

Monessen firemen are making preparations to attend the annual convention of the Western Pennsylvania Firemen's Association, which will be held at Beaver Falls August 9th to 14th inclusive.

DONORA BOROUGH FINDS ITSELF IN BIG HOLE

Council Takes Action Towards the Securing of a Loan to Tide Over Expenses at Present.

The borough of Donora is in the hole financially. At the last meeting of council a resolution was passed authorizing a loan of $3,685 to tide over until the taxes for the present year begin to come in.

MONESSEN BAPTISTS WILL FINISH THEIR CHURCH BUILDING

Basement of Structure was Erected Some Time Ago.

WORK BEGINS ON MONDAY

The trustees of the Monessen Baptist church have let the contract for finishing their church to the Westmoreland Lumber company, and work will be started the first of next week on the structure. It is expected to have the building ready for occupancy within four months.

The basement of the church was erected over a year ago, and services have been conducted in it ever since. The super-structure is to be of buff brick with stone trimmings and will be built on the Gothic style. The total costs will be about $12,000. Rev. J. C. Cherney is the pastor.

PRODUCTION OF OTHELLO BY COMPANY OF ITALIANS

Entertainment at Coyle Theatre on Monday Night by High Class Players.

"Othello," in Italian, will be presented at the Coyle Theatre Monday night by Antonio Mariori and company. Signor Mariori, who comes from New York, has secured the Highland Theatre in Pittsburg and will present Italian drama throughout the season, filling odd dates in the suburban circuit. His company is said to be a talented aggregation.

Will Vacate Street.

The Donora council has passed an ordinance vacating Ferry street to the river. This was in the interests of the steel company, which wants the ground for extensions. The company will give the borough a street to the river elsewhere.

PHYSICIANS MUST REPORT COMMUNICABLE DISEASES

Monessen to Have Street to the River

Much Desired Accommodation Will Finally be Secured.

The Monessen council is making [illegible] discussed street to the river. It is etsimated that it will cost $3,000, half of which must be borne by the railroad company.

EXCEPTIONS TAKEN TO STATEMENTS

Socialist Correspondent Says State Protects Capitalism.

WORKING MAN'S CHANCE

To the Mail: An article entitled "Socialism" has appeared in your paper of July 20. The author claims that if he could be convinced that the present conditions under which the working masses live are as horriole as pictured by Socialist agitators, and further that the private competitive system of industry tends to constantly reduce the working class physically, financially, and intellectually, he would then agree that capitalism is wrong and should be replaced by Socialism. Now, the question is, is the author willing to be convinced? We Socialists know from practical experience that a prejudiced mind is not open for conviction, no matter what convincing arguments we may advance in defense of our philosophy. But trusting that this is not the case here, and that the author is sincere in what he writes, I will proceed with my argument.

It is true that the average wage is higher today than it has been in the beginning of the nineteenth century, but has not the price of living necessities increased accordingly and even exceded it in many instances? Has not the productivity of labor increased greatly since? Are the opportunities for a living for the individual workman as well as for the entire class as good today as they were in the beginning of the last century?

Land was then free and "going west," offered an everlasting escape if conditions were not satisfatory in the coast cities of the east. Everyone desiring could then own his land and tools of production, as these were very simple and cheap. Does this also hold true today? Why, no, not by a long distance. Free land is gone and the tools of production have grown to a gigantic collective nature that it is impossible for an individual workman to either own or operate them and so have been monopolized. The tools of production are the means of life, and it will be evident to the author that if the one class owns the tools of production of the other class which it must use in order to live, it also owns its life.

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Health Commissioner Dixon Sends Out Notices.

TO PUNISH VIOLATERS

Duties of Doctors Outlined Concerning Reporting of Cases.

Charleroi physicians have received within the past few days from the Department of Health, through Commissioner Samuel G. Dixon, a copy of the new law requiring physicians to report to the board of health all communicable diseases. Accompanying it is a penal clause telling what punishment a violator of the law is liable to have visited upon him; also a list of what the State Department considers communicable diseases.

The act, which is that approved May 14, 1909, explains fully the kind of diseses to be reported, the duties of the health officers, the quarantine precautions, and the placarding of houses. The receipt of these letters is the result of carelessness on the part of many physicians in reporting contagious diseases.

REPRODUCTION OF THE NOTED PASSION PLAY IN CHARLEROI

Will be in Motion Picture, but Scenes will Appear Real.

A reproduction of the celebrated "Passion Play," is to appear here next week, at the Star theatre. There is scarcely a person that does not know the story of the Passion Play, but a repetition would not be out of order. It is the story of the Life of Christ from the time of birth to the resurrection. True, it will be produced only in moving pictures, but these are so real, and are the nearest most people will get to see the real drama that the opportunity should not be let pass by. This production, as anonucned on another page of the Mail, will be for three days next week, Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday.

The Passion Play is given every ten years at Oberammergau, Bavaria, and a single production costs hundreds of thousands of dollars. It is given in a natural amphitheatre, and people fom all parts of the world go to witness it. The persons who take the leading roles, such as the Savior, must be the most exemplary characters, and their past life must have been as nearly possible like the one whom they are to portray. The origin of the play, which was one of the first dramas ever produced in the Christian era, dates back into the Dark Ages, when a plague infested the country and the people of the section of Oberammergau promised to depict the Life of Christ as nearly as possible, every ten years, not as a pennance, but as an expression of gratitude.

The Star Orchestra under Prof. L. J. Zurban will play sacred music for the performance each night.

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July 24 In American History.

1783—Simon Bolivar, South American liberator, born in Caracas, Venezuela; died 1830.

1798—John Adams Dix, general and statesman, born in Boscawen, N. H.; died 1879.

1819—Dr. Joseph Gilbert Holland, author, born; died 1881.

1862—Martin Van Buren, ex-president, died at Kinderhook, N. Y.; born 1782.

1895—Rev. Edward Beecher, one of the seven famous sons of Lyman Beecher, died; born 1803.

ASTRONOMICAL EVENTS.

Sun sets 7:10, rises 4:46; moon sets 11:17 p. m.; 6:37 a. m., eastern time, moon at first quarter in constellation Libra.

July 25 In American History.

1750—Henry Knox, secretary of war under Washington, born in Boston; died 1806.

1863—General Sam Houston, Texas patriot, at one time governor of Tennessee and later of Texas, died at Huntsville, Tex.; born 1793.

1898—General Miles' force landed at Porto Rico and began the conquest of Spanish garrison. The same day General Wesley Merritt, commander of the army in Philippines, reached Manila with reenforcements.

ASTRONOMICAL EVENTS.

Sun sets 7:18, rises 4:47; moon sets 11:42 p. m.; 7 a. m., planet Mercury at perihelion, nearest the sun; 8:30 p. m., Jupiter's outer satellite No. 3 on the east, Nos. 1, 2 and 4 near on the west of the planet.

Waste in Smoke.

In the manufacture of coke losses due by the escape of combustible gases are particularly heavy, says the Saturdy Evening Post. Coke happens to be an indispensable fuel in the smelting of iron ore. To make it, soft coal is distilled with an amount of waste that reaches an appalling one-third of the heat value of the coal, not to mention other losses due to breakage in handling. The annual production of coke is about 36,000,000 tons, most of which is used to produce 25,000,000 tons of pig iron. Nine-tenths of this enormous amount of coke is made in what are known as "beehive" ovens, which allow the gaseous equivalent of 16,200,000 tons of soft coal to float into the air. With good coking coal at two dollars a ton this means that we are converting $32,400,000 into smoke and gas. A man who lights cigars with ten-dollar bills is no more reckless.

Some day provision will be generally made for the collection of these valuable fumes and of their industrial utilization. What are known as "by-product" coke ovens are slowly coming into use—ovens so designed that the gas can be collected and piped to points where fuel is needed and [illegible] Unfortunately the number of such installations is lamentably few. All told there are about thirty of them, aggregating some 3,000 ovens. Small as the number is, these by-product plants manufacture about 50,000,000 cubic feet of gas, which is burned in doing useful work and not in senselessly heating the atmosphere.

The wanton waste of the coke ovens finds its counterpart in nearly every factory boiler room. Whenever a fireman opens a furnace door to throw more coal on his fire he is taking money from his employe's purse. Cold air and more air than is necessay for the oxidizing process of the fuel enters the furnace; the gases are chilled, while an excess of air from without is heated—air that is not wanted. Because of the chilling the gases are cooled down below their burning temperature and are dissociated. Hence their free carbon, in the form of soot, escapes through the chimney. Heavy losses are entailed in every furnace which is stoked and cleaned in the ordinary manner—losses due to this relapse of gasses into carbon, to the lowering of temperture due to imperfect combustion, and to the [illegible]

Can this waste be prevented? The United States Geological Survey has been conducting a series of experiments for the purpose of answering the question. The Survey's work proves that smoke prevention is possible even in Pittsburg; for in that notoriously sooty town a Survey plant is operated absolutely without smoke, and that, moreover, with a quality of coal ordinarily considered as refuse and costing, delivered at the plant, eighty-eight cents a ton. It may be argued that this is merely an experimental and not a commercial plant. The investigation of the Goverment leads to a different belief. Geological Survey engineers have visited factories in the large cities of Illinois, Indiana, Kentucky, Maryland, Michigan, Missouri, New York, Ohio, and have found more than two hundred plants that burn coal without smoke and, therefore, with an economy remarkable in these extavagant days. On the authority of the Survey it may be stated that in fifty per cent of the industrial establishments more than ten per cent of the coal bill can be saved each year by the smokeless burning of coal, a saving of several million dollars annually.

Electric Sparks

Perhaps after all it would be better to have a man employed to get up a new tariff bill each year, to best fit existing conditions all over the country, and then if he doesn't please the majority of the people, have him thrown into the lake.

Church baseball leagues seem to be thriving all over the country. Doubtless they prove so from the fact that the expense is so much reduced.

My goodness, if green mosquito bar kills people, what in the world will we do about the flies?

A good many girls think they came into this world for the express purpose of marrying some count or other foreigner, with a title. The most of them get more sense after one good trial.

Reckon if we had a high School commercial course this year, the students will have to go back to the same old hill climbing again.

The Charleroi merchants are planning for a great time at Eldora Park next Wednesday. Which fact means that we will all be there with our old suits of varied hues.

These cold days make a fellow feel as if his old friend, Old Sol, had deserted him.

Donora has passed the semi-barbaric stage, and has put an ordinance into effect that from this time on, the running at large of horses, cattle, sheep, swine, geese and other animals will not be permitted in the borough.

A Fashion Garrick Killed.

Women of England in the eighteenth century wore large hats. Samuel Rogers once traveled to Ranelagh in the same coach with a woman who was compelled to sit on a stool on the floor of the coach on account of the inconvenient height of her headdress. Hannah More, who was all for simplicity in costume, writes in her diary that she has seen women wearing on their [illegible] bery, besides slopes, grass plats, tulip beds, clumps of peonies, kitchen gardens and greenhouses." The credit of killing this fashion is given to Garrick. He appeared one night on the stage with a mass of vegetables on his head and a carrot suspended from each side, to the shame and confusion of many fair members of his audience."

AN ORDINANCE

Granting unto the Pittsburg and Charleroi Street Railway Company, its successors, lessees and assigns, certain rights upon certain streets and avenues in the Borough of North Charleroi, Washington County, Pennsylvania.

Be it ordained and enacted by the Town Council of the Borough of North Charleroi, County of Washington and State of Pennsylvania, at a regular meeting assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same:

Section 1. That the consent of the said Council be and the same is hereby given unto the Pittsburg and Charleroi Street Railway Company, its successors, lessees and assigns, to relocate or remove so much of its track or tracks as it may deem necessary from their present vocation, and to enter upon the streets and avenues of the said Borough, along the following route:

Beginning at the northerly borough [illegible] tracks of the Pittsburg and Charleroi Street Railway Company thence in a southerly direction along the present location of said tracks, and upon, along and across the streets or highways crossed or traversed by said tracks to the point where they enter Lincoln Avenue, at or near Fifth Street thence upon and along Lincoln Avenue to the southerly borough line, for the purpose of constructng, maintaining and operating thereon, during the term of its charter, a double track street railway, together with the neeessary turnouts and switches also to erect and maintain all such poles, wires, cables, and other apparatus as shall be necessary for the successful operation of said street railway, and to string and maintain on such poles and apparatus every and all such wires and cables as may be necessary for the successful and sufficient operation of a fully equipped street railway system.

In the construction of the double tracks upon Lincoln Avenue the same shall be located on the street in accordance with the plan herewith, and the center line between tracks shall be eleven (11) feet, eight and one-half (8 1-2) inches from the westerly side of the said Lincoln Avenue, and the distance between the center line of the tracks shall not be less than ten (10) feet two and one-half (2 1-2) inches, and the poles on the easterly side of the street shall be located inside of the curb line, that is, on the sidewalk side of the curb, and the poles on the westery side of the street shall be located at least five (5) feet in the clear from the westerly rail of the tracks, and if this location for the poles places them upon private property the Borough of North Charleroi shall arrange with the property owners for said location without cost or expense to the Street Railway Company. If the tracks are re-located as aforesaid, the Borough shall also provide and have moved all poles of other companies on the westerly side of the street, so that the same will be located at least five (5) feet in the clear from the westerly rail of the tracks. If the Borough be unable to secure the location of all poles as aforesaid and without cost or expense to the Street Railway Company, and it becomes necessary to locate the poles alongside of and adjacent to the westerly line of or upon the street then the tracks shall be so located as to leave at leasts five (5) feet clearance between the westerly rail of the tracks and the poles. Where practicable so to do, the poles shall be placed opposite the dividing line between properties.

In the construction of the tracks aforesaid the rails shall be girder type of rails, at least seven (7) inches high, weighing at least seventy (70) pounds per yard, the tracks on Lincoln Avenue shall be laid to the grade of the street as established by ordinance of this Borough, Approved July 7th, 1909, and the work shall be done at such time as the Borough shall grade, curb and pave the said Lincoln Avenue, from a point at or near the northerly line of Fifth Street to the southerly borough line in its proper order and sequence and the Company shall pay the Borough a sum of money equal to the cost of all grading and paving done or caused to be done by the Borough between the rails of the tracks and between the tracks and for a width of one (1) feet outside thereof; except the paving in the present tracks which the Company shall relay after the removal of the tracks as hereinbefore provided for, subject to the approval of the Borough Engineer. The price to be paid by the Company is to be based upon the same price per cubic yard for the grading and per square yard for the paving that the Borough shall pay for grading and paving upon the balance of the street said price, however, to be satisfactory to the Company and not greater than the Company could secure the work done for. And the Company agrees further to maintain the paving between its rails and between its tracks and a foot on the oustide of its tracks in good repair while the Company occupies the above named streets. All grading and paving operations, however, to be conducted by the Borough in such a manner as not to interfere with the operation of cars upon the present tracks of the Company now upon this street. The Borough hereby agreeing to contract for and cause all excavations between the rails of the tracks and between the tracks and for a width of one foot on the outside thereof, of the Railway Company, to be carried to a sub grade having a depth of twenty-one (21) inches below the surface of the pavement where nine (9) inch rail is to be used or nineteen (19) inches below the surface of the pavement where seven (7) inch rail is to be used, and the Borough shall cause the same to be made to the depth above specified along each side of the Company's existing track and of a width necessary for a double track, excepting the space occupied by the present track or tracks, after which the Company shall move and re-construct its present track or tracks in the proper location and the Contractor shall then complete the excavating of any material remaining from the present tracks and where the grade of the street is to be raised the Borough hereby agrees, without any charge therefor, to cause so much of the excavated material as is necessary to be hauled and deposited and spread along each side of the present track or tracks within the limits and to the height necessary to form the sub grade above specified for all its roadbed and the Company shall use the aforesaid material in raising its present track and shall move the said track to and construct upon the grade thus form its additional track, all in the proper sequence and with as little delay to the grading operation as practicable, and the Borough hereby further agrees to pave or cause to be paved the portion of the street above specified between the rails of the tracks and between the tracks and for a width of one foot on the outside thereof, of the Railway Company as soon as the tracks shall have been made ready for such paving by the Company, and to the same depth below the surface of the street, using the same depth of ballas, sand and brick as is used by the Borough upon the balance of the street, and in measuring the paving to estimate the cost to the Company the widths of the rails laid in the street shall be excluded. The Borough shall give at least three days notice in writing to the Chief Enigneer of the Company of the date upon which paving will be commenced, so that arrangements can be made for cementing the rails. The work of grading and paving shall be done subject to the approval of the Chief Engineer of the Company or his representative. Payment to be made therefor on the 10th day of each month for the work of the previous month completed and approved as aforesaid.

The right is also given the Company to connect the rails at their ends with bond wires and with a supplementary ground wire for the return circuits.

In consideration of the aforesaid payment to the Borough of North Charleroi by the Company, consent is hereby granted to said Company, its successors, lessees and assigns, to operate the cars of other companies over all or portions of its tracks in this Borough, and to permit the operation by the Westside Electric Street Railway Company, and the Webster, Monessen, Belle Vernon and Fayette City Street Railway Company, or either of them, their successors, lessees and assigns, of their cars over all or portions of its tracks in this Borough, upon making suitable arrangements with the said Pittsburg and Charleroi Street Railway Company, its successors, lessees and assigns, for such operation, and consent is also granted to said Company, its successors, lessees and assigns, to make all necessary connections with the tracks and overhead lines of other companies so that it can operate the cars of other companies over its tracks, turnouts and switch in this Borough, or permit the companies hereinbefore specified to operate their cars over the tracks, turnouts and switches of said Pittsburg and Charleroi Street Railway Company, its successors, lessees and assigns, in this Borough.

Upon completion of the grading of the street by the Borough to the depths above specified, and in proper sequence during the progress of such grading work, and upon notice from the Borough, Company shall immediately commence the work of moving its present track and tracks to the location and grade herein provided for, and construct the additional track necessary to complete double tracks throughout the route within the Borough limits, and shall complete the said work of moving the tracks and laying the additional track within four (4) months after said notice, except that it shall not be required to do any of said work during the months of December, January, February and March.

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AN ORDINANCE

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ance shall be filed with the Clerk of said Council.

Any ordinance or part of ordinance conflicting with the provisions of this ordinance be and the same is hereby repealed.

The said Pittsburg and Charleroi Street Railway Company shall pay all costs incident to the enactment of this ordinance, including the advertisement.

Ordained and enacted into a law in Council this --- day of ---------- A. D. 1909.

Attest:

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Clerk of Council.

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President of Council.

Approved ---------- A. D. 1909.

Attest: .....Burgess.

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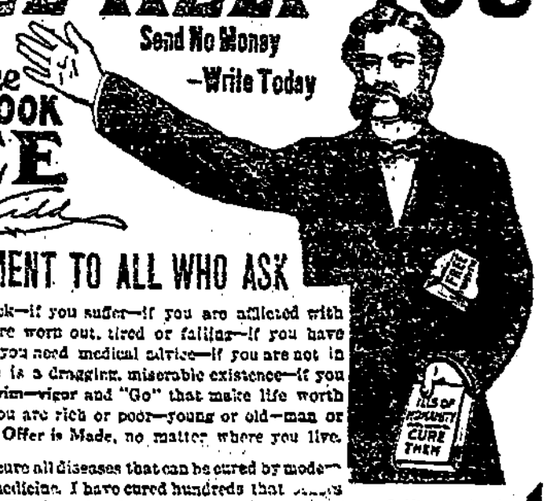

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Exceptions Taken to Statements

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The capitalist class of today has it in its power to say to the working class, "Thou shall live no more," by simply closing down its factories, mills and mines, and owning the country they also own the Government with it. To prove my assertions I would invite the author for a trip to McKees Rocks to investigate conditions there. The State, the militia, the costabulary, the regular army if necessary, the judiciary, all stand ready to protect the divine rights of capitalism. Is there any protection for the workmen who are denied the natural right to live? Now, if the author is convinced that the opportunities for a living for the working class has grown less in the past, owing to the private ownership of the natural resources and all industries, it is self evident that it must continue to grow worse in the future as capitalism is traveling faster than

Japan is today witnessing the dawn of capitalism. A Japanese workman there can live comfortably and be happy on 50 cents a day. Can an American working man live happily on 50 cents a day? Will the Japanese workman be able to live comfortably and be happy on 50 cents a day a hundred years hence? The answer is certainly not, and is plain to every student of economic evolution. The author in stating that it is admitted even by radical Socialism that private property is not a crime, confuses the terms wealth and capacity, and uses the word property for both. We Socialists are not against but stand for private property that is used in private, such as a home and everything that goes with it. This properly defined is wealth. Socialism would make it possible for every working man to own such private property as I have just now described, while capitalism is making it impossible, not only for the workingmen but for the great masses at large to own any wealth or property.

Capital means productive property, such as land and machinery, and it is the private ownership of these that we are fighting. The author further states that the conditions of the laborers under this system are not so desperate as to make them put in jeopardy their liberty and independence by inviting Socialism. Regarding this statement I beg to say that the liberty and independence of a jobless, starving man who has been tramping up and down the country in search of work and all in vain, can be bought and sold for a square meal at the Casino restaurant, and surely they could risk their liberty and independence for a Socialist form of government. Let it be known that there can be no independence without a job and no liberty without food.

H. Lessing.

Charleroi, 615 Fallowfield Ave.

SUNDAY SERVICES AT THE CHURCHES

(Continued from First Page).

meeting of the church. A large attendance is expected as some improvements to the church building are to be discussed. Welcome to all services. Rev. J. H. Palmer, pastor.

Christ Lutheran.

Sunday school at 9:45 a. m. Divine worship at 11 o'clock with sermon by the pastor. Luther League at 6:30 p. m., subject, "Regular Church Attendance." Vesper Services at 7:30 p. m. A most cordial welcome to all the services. There will be no preaching services during the first four Sundays in August because of the pastor's vacation. Rev. C. E. Frontz, pastor.

St. Mary's Episcopal.

Early celebration of the holy Communion at 8 a. m. Sunday school and Bible class at 9:45 a. m., morning prayer, anti-communion and sermon at 11 o'clock. Subject, "The Appeal of Religion to Human Nature." There will be no evening service. Seats free and a welcome to all.

Methodist.

Sunday school at 9:30. 10:45 "Old Folks Day," sermon to elderly people. 2:30 Men's League; 6:45 Epworth League; 7:45 sermon.

French Presbyterian.

Sunday, July, 5.2 Sabbath school at 9:30 p. m. Morning worship at 10:30 and Communion. Evening service at 7 p. m., "Walking Worthily of God." Everybody welcome.

Mr. and Mrs. Gorge W. Horner of Morgantown, W. Va., visited their daughter, Mrs. J. S. Ryland of Meadow avenue this week.

LOCAL NOTES

Brief Mention of People and Events in this Community.

Born—To Mr. and Mrs. Chas. O. Frye, Crest avenue, a daughter.

Prof. Fred Metzger of Maryland college, Lutherville, Md., called on friends interested in Maryland college yesterday.

Mrs. J. K. Porter of Coon Island is visiting her daughter, Mrs. C. O. Frye, of Crest avenue.

Miss Bess McCormick of Pittsburg is a guest at the home of Rev. A. M. Doak.

Misses Prudence and Mary Leech of Butler are visiting at the homes of William and Joseph Kenyon.

Philip Snow of North Charleroi is spending a few weeks in Michigan on a fishing expedition.

Attorney D. M. McCloskey is at Bedford Springs. Before returning home he will vist Deer Lake Park in Maryland. He made the journey in his automobile.

[illegible] with each copy of The Sunday Pittsburg Leader.

Mr. and Mrs. George S. Might of McKean avenue have returned from a visit with their daughter, Mrs. Fred C. Miller at Conneaut.

William C. Walters of the Mail job rooms has returned from a visit at Morgantown, W. Va., with relatives.

Born—To Mr. and Mrs. Pierce Ferguson, of Fifth street, a girl.

Mrs. S. R. Collins is spending the day in Pittsburg with friends.

Mrs. Eugene Meddekar has returned home from a visit at Beaver Falls with friends.

Rev. John Smith of Pittston is visiting relatives in Charleroi.

Mrs. H. C. Boblitt and daughter Pauline returned to Charleroi this morning from Uniontown, where Mrs. Boblitt has been attending the "School of Methods."

John Shannon received word Friday that his son, H. V. Shannon, who received his degree of A. M. from Hiram college this spring and is there doing special work, is suffering from an attack of appendicitis.

The Sunday school classes of Mrs. Kenyon and Miss Martin, of the M. E. Sunday school, picnicked at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Curtis in Fallowfield township yesterday.

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A most enjoyable afternoon was spent by the Ladies Aid society of the First Presbyterian church at the home of the president, Mrs. F. P. McCloskey at her beautiful home on Crest avenue Thursday. The time was spent in sewing, social conversation, ending with delightful refreshments.

Mrs. McCloskey was assisted in entertaining by her daughter, Mrs. Wm. Fishburn, of East End, Pittsburg.

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WANTED—Middle-aged woman to do home cooking. Capitol Lunch Room, Donora. 285tf

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Quarrels between opera singers and managers call to mind an incident in the life of Malibrau. It was in 1829, when Malibrau returned to England from New York and made her debut at Birmingham at the music festival as Malibrau Garcia. Miss Paton had already become a favorite there and was allowed to choose her own songs and sing as many as she pleased, whereas Malibrau was compelled to sing only what was assigned to her. Garcia bore the indignity with such patience as she could command until one morning she saw the announcement that Miss Paton would sing six songs that evening and that she would sing but two. Then it was that, realizing that much of her success for the season in England depended on her having a better place in the program, she stormed the directors.

In vain the directors endeavored to avoid receiving her, but she made short work of ceremony, and while they were framing an excuse to pacify her she broke in upon them in a magnificent rage. In a jiffy she asked the chairman:

"Sir, have you sanctioned this program?" And, receiving a nod in the affirmative, she sailed along further.

"I had hoped," she said, "it had been issued without your sanction, for it assigns me two songs, both of which are hackneyed, while it gives my rival, Miss Paton, six. She has an established reputation here. Mine is yet to make, at least with your English audiences, and therefore if any preference should be given to any one it should be to me. On my success here depends all chance of my success in London. You forget this or do not care. You give me no chance of success, whereas all I want is justice. I want the same opportunity for displaying my ability as you allow Miss Paton. Here you advertise me for Romeo. But I performed that last night, and the public will say, 'Romeo on Monday, Romeo on Tuesday, Romeo on Wednesday—Romeo, Romeo, she can do nothing but Romeo.' I want fair play—no more, no less!"

Well, it was a great fuss. The directors endeavored to soothe her, for she had talked herself into a great passion, but they made their mistake in pointing to the fact that the program was printed and could not be changed. In vain Malibrau argued that she should sing six or an equal number of songs with Miss Paton, and finally she went off in a great huff, declaring if they would not right her she would right herself.

The evening advertised came, and the theater was crowded with the rank, beauty and fashion of Birmingham, as every one familiar with English music festivals would expect. The performance commenced. Some one sang, then Braham followed, and finally came Miss Paton. As usual, she was heartily received. Then Malibrau came forward amid many plaudits, undoubtedly agitated at the applause, and stood for a minute with her arms folded and her eyes on the ground.

There was a piano near the footlights, and the music stool stood at the back of the stage. Malibrau stood near the piano, but did not touch a key, while in a manner until then unknown in England she warbled the well known aria "Una voce poco fa." Peal followed peal of applause, and when the conductor came to lead Malibrau away the cries of encore were so loud as to make him retreat, and again Malibrau was in the hands of the audience.

For some time the applause continued and finally died away. When all was silence Malibrau started up suddenly, made a pretty obeisance, hastily ran to the back part of the stage and brought out a piano stool. Then, motioning to the orchestra not to play, she played a preludio and then an accompaniment to the song she had just given. But that was not all. When she came within a note or two of the conclusion she paused, cast a look at the wings, where the mystified director stood, laughingly shook her head and to the delight of the audience and the amazement of the directors commenced a new song. She had been singing Italian; now she sang Spanish, and when this had been applauded she started to retire. The audience, however, would not part with her, and when the conductor came to lead her off pit, gallery and boxes actually hissed the poor fellow.

There never was a more enthusiastic ovation to a singer in Birmingham, and, thus encouraged, Malibrau gracefully waved the conductor off and again sat down to play. She passed from Spanish to German, German to French and finally from French to English, and the result was that she occupied so much time that the nervously waiting Miss Paton sang only two songs instead of six!

There was a lively scene behind the curtain when Malibrau at length retired. But to the acting director, who [illegible] played us an astonishing trick!" she only smiled and said, "I told you that I would right myself if you wronged me—and I did."—New York Post.

A diamond with a flaw is better than a common stone without any imperfections.—Chinese Proverb.

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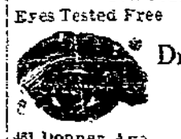

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The Tarantula Is the One Most to Be Dreaded.

Excepting only the tarantula, the crawling insects of the tropics are not really dangerous, though they are more than unpleasant, sufficiently so to make every one wary, and an instinctive watchfulness becomes after a time habitual. It is only a matter of being careful and dangerous stings can be avoided. The sting of a scorpion is sharp and painful. Rapid swelling follows till a great lump is formed at and about the wound, the glands often become swollen and painful, and the tongue swells so that speech may become difficult. The pain lasts from two to twenty-four hours, usually about a day, and it is exceptional if any serious effects follow.

The centiped attacks by burying its sharp feet in the flesh and then biting with its jaws, inflicting deep wounds. Often it goes on crawling rapidly over the flesh, puncturing it with burning, needlelike feet, biting continually, its jaws buried deep in the flesh with vigorous rapidity. This is a serious affliction. The sores, like burning blisters, are open for days, and where a centiped has walked and bitten the flesh a livid sore develops, leaving a deep scar witness to the pain inflicted. Sometimes even gangrene may set in, and then death is apt to follow in a few days. Thus a wound from a centiped unattended easily becomes serious. The centiped's back is so smooth and its muscles so supple that to check it under one's clothing requires fortitude which could press a redhot iron against the naked flesh. Relax the hand for an instant and the centiped slips away to continue its course over the body. The result is not easily described. The screams of a person so attacked attest the pain, and we dread the centipeds I have seen them in the jungles over a foot long and about three inches broad. Usually they are less than half this size, and fortunately their attacks are rare. There are smaller centipeds, and bad enough it is to be bitten by them, but it is the big fellows in the woods which we dread.

Of all the insects which crawl about in the tropics the tarantula is most to be dreaded. It sinks its fanglike jaws deep in the flesh, and a poison which *oozes out around them is carried into* the wound. The soft body of the spider permits it to be easily killed, and if there is a way open for escape the tarantula will take it, perhaps not biting at all. One bite it gives, seldom more, and this is sufficient. Days of suffering must be endured, and death may occur. Violent swelling follows the bite of a tarantula and afflicts all that part of the body which has been bitten. At times the flesh becomes discolored, and with the intense pain a form of paralysis develops which may result in death. If, however, the person bitten is enjoying fair health no evil effects result, but where the blood is in poor condition, the heart weak or other organic troubles are present then stings or bites from creeping insects, not only tarantulas, but all of them, are apt to be fatal.

Naturally one crawls out from under the tolda with feelings of trepidation and usually finds that some creeping thing has made the outer folds of the tolda a resting place for the night.—Forest and Stream.

Eskimo Graves of Stones.

To the Eskimo mind everything animate or inanimate possesses a soul. *Thus in their graves we found they* invariably placed every cherished possession, that their spirits might serve the departed spirit in the same capacities in the life to come. There is little room for burial beneath the scanty earth in Labrador, even if the frost would permit. So the grave consists of upright stones, with long flat ones laid across. These not only serve to keep the wolves from the body, but wide chinks also afford the spirits free passage in and out.—Wilfred T. Grenfell in Century.

Uncle Sam's Human Hinges.

In other cities the doors of public buildings are set on springs and slap to and fro as the visitor wills, but in Washington it appears necessary to have a special man to open and close the doors—human hinges, as it were—no undignified banging of doors there. This custom has died out in other places, but there are many veteran negroes in Washington who have seen years of such service for the government. They have a stately way of performing this office, which gives a door an official and unofficial swing.—Joe Mitchell Chapple in National Magazine.

Missed the Name.

Guest of the Doctor's (late home from the theater)—Hurry up, old chap, and let me in. Absentminded Doctor (who has forgotten all about his visitor)—Who are you? Guest—Mr. Trane. Doctor—Missed a train, have you? Well, catch the next.—London Fun.

Well Enough.

"Didn't I tell you to let well enough alone?" said the doctor to the convalescent who had disobeyed and was suffering a relapse.

"Yes, doctor," whined the patient, "but I wasn't well enough."—Detroit Free Press.

Passionate Fondness.

"Do you think that most people nowadays worship money?"

"No; I won't go as far as that," answered the home grown philosopher, "but I will say that the love of money is seldom platonic."—New York Journal.